

DONT LIKE THE LAW

More Protests Against the Redistricting Measure

BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT

Houghton County Protests Against the Gerrymander and Protests Figures to Substantiate Its Claims.

LANSING, June 29.—A large portion of the day was occupied in hearing the application for a mandamus by the board of supervisors of Houghton county directed against the secretary of state to test the validity of the representative redistricting act of 1891. The attorney general for the respondent contended that the board of supervisors had no jurisdiction; that Houghton county has no right under the constitution to two representatives and the action of the supervisors in dividing the county into two districts was without authority of law; that the legislature of the state has the constitutional right to divide a county in making a legislative district, and that if the act is unconstitutional in other respects it should not be declared otherwise, even though a mistake had been made in the division of Houghton county. T. L. Chadbourne of Houghton argued the case at length for the petitioners, citing a long line of precedents to negative the authority of the legislature to divide a county, for representation purposes, which county has a moiety, or more than a moiety, of the ratio, and the legislature cannot conform to the constitution and refuse to a county having a population according to the last enumeration, or census of 35,389, when the ratio of representation is 20,938, two representatives.

If the contention be true the law is void, for the act divides the county and gives it less than two representatives. In the matter of a petition for a mandamus compelling the village board of White Cloud to approve the liquor bond of a saloon keeper in that village with the village treasurer as a surety upon it, the court denied the application, and reiterated the doctrine that public officers could not become such sureties.

Cases heard: People vs. E. G. Kenyon, People vs. Henry Beach, People vs. Nathan Murphy, People vs. Ida Patterson, People vs. L. D. Foose.

Thursday's call: 209, 4, 3, 67, 68, 71. Cases not submitted this week will go over to the October term.

GRADUATE LIST OF GRADUATES. Commencement Day Exercises at the University.

ANN ARBOR, June 29.—The exercises of the forty-eighth annual commencement of the university opened today with the class day program of the graduates of the literary department and the prominent features of the week. So far the prospects are for a quieter commencement than usual, and but few alumni are present, only about fifty being registered today. This forenoon about 1,000 friends of the graduates assembled in University hall, where the morning part of the program was carried out. The exercises were delivered by William H. DeLanoe, who chose for his subject, "International Arbitration." He voiced earnest thought in this direction and dwelt hopefully upon the future as a brotherhood of nations, in which all difficulties would be settled by arbitration instead of war. The class poem was composed and read by Miss Julia Herrold. The afternoon exercises were started under the historical Tappan Oak surrounded by the grove of maples planted by the class of 1858, but rain interfered with the program and an adjournment was taken to University hall, where the class history was read by Arthur J. Tuttle. The historian related much of personal interest to the members, with sketches of his classmates. The class entered with 299 members in October, 1888, and in the senior year 109 of these had left, but enough new members dropped in to make the present number 198. The average age of the male members is 23 years, the oldest averaging a little more. The youngest person ever graduated by the university, Miss Martha H. Bortwick, the class prophetess, next foretold the future of each of the members of the class in verse, and her sharp wit was greeted by shouts of applause from the listeners. The exercises of the day were concluded at five o'clock, well addressed to the class by its president, Pete W. Ross. Tonight occurred the well known society event of the college year, the senior reception. The affair was held in a large pavilion erected in the rear of the main hall, brilliantly lighted by electric lights. The assembly was a representative one, the guests attending being from all parts of Michigan and all adjoining states. The large dance floor was crowded by between four hundred and five hundred couples. The affair was conducted on a magnificent scale and was a great social credit to the class of 1892. The board of regents met today and conferred degrees upon the largest number of graduates ever graduated—689 in all departments.

Latest Michigan Persons.

WASHINGTON, June 29.—The pension department has issued pensions to the following Michigan veterans: Warren Easton, Albert Palmer, Benjamin F. Crampton, Peter Siemmer, Elias Worsen, Leonard C. Remington, Wesley Reiser, Gifford Newton, John F. Briggs, Reuben H. Bradley, D. Van Vleet, Jacob Boon, William H. Severance, J. C. Cooper, Enoch Howe, Amos Jones, William Griffin, Charles Meyers. Additional—Samuel F. Summers, Daniel M. Westall, A. T. Long, Uriah Lavelle, L. H. Leland.

Incense — Frederick F. Drake, Thomas Fox, Ezekiel Pearce, Samuel Hall, Rowell B. Rexford.

Believe — Thomas Smith (deceased). Original widows — Mary Wolf, Julia A. O'Connell.

Stole an Engine. DENVER, Mich., June 28.—Benjamin Skinner's steam thrasher engine was stolen from his premises here last night and carried away bodily. Three men, who had four horses attached to the engine, and who were getting out of the country at a rapid pace, were arrested near Lansing this morning.

Mangled at the Sock. SAGINAW, Mich., June 29.—John E. Rosell, a machinist, was run over by an elevated car this morning. He was caught in the cog wheel and ground up in a horrible manner, the flesh being torn from one arm and one leg. He was also pierced through

the body so the intestines protruded. It was twenty minutes before he could be taken from under the car, which was thrown from the track. He will probably die.

Stands by the Editor. LANSING, Mich., June 29.—The Huron Times of Bad Axe was among the papers with which "Tip" Apfin made concrete for printing the descriptions of delinquent tax cases just before he went out of office. Auditor General Stone, on taking possession of the office, promptly abrogated the contract and refused to print the descriptions of delinquent tax cases.

The Huron Times had had the list all set up when the contract was withdrawn, and it put in a bill for expense incurred. Mr. Stone allowed 7 cents per description. The Huron Times claimed 40 cents. The supreme court today decided that the Times is entitled to the larger sum.

Several Burglars Arrested. JACKSON, June 29.—Parma had a \$400 burglary a few nights ago, and Sheriff Boyle at once went to work on the case. As a result four men, George Smith, John Sullivan, Thomas Wright and James Thomas were captured, with \$350 on their persons, and are now at the county jail. The sheriff also caused the arrest of Andrew Malberry, Asa Bever and Frank Ray, for stealing twenty-five bushels of wheat from Almira French, of Concord, and they too are in the county jail.

Pioneer Dies at Flint. FLINT, June 29.—D. H. Seelye, probably the oldest settler in Genesee county, died at his home in Genesee township yesterday, where he had lived for over fifty years. Mr. Seelye was born eighty-seven years ago near Stockbridge, Conn., and came to the site of the present city of Flint when there were only seven buildings and ten families here. He was one of the wealthy farmers.

Bay City Burglars. BAY CITY, Mich., June 29.—Thomas Mulroy's saloon was broken into after midnight and robbed of \$31 and a box of cigars. The proprietor was sleeping in the next room at the time. John Moes' loan office was also visited. Eighteen silverware, three boxes of cigars and a satchel were stolen.

Killed by a Train. QUINCY, Mich., June 29.—Mrs. Packard, an old lady and very deaf, was killed at this place about 8 o'clock this morning. She stepped on the railroad track less than a rod in front of the work train, which was in rapid motion. No blame is attached to any one.

Bl Off Her Tongue. ADRIAN, Mich., June 29.—Blanche Redding, aged 5, daughter of Paul Redding, the foreman at the Messenger office, fell down cellar yesterday afternoon, biting her tongue almost off an inch and a half back from the tip.

Has a Turtle Monstrosity. CANNONVILLE, June 29.—On Tuesday J. F. Easton of this place found a turtle which has a soft shell and has a nose like a hog. It is a strange freak of nature and the captor intends to send it to the world's fair.

State News Items. Fred H. Stone of Saranac, a born democrat has bolted Cleveland's nomination. He was very active in party work and at the state convention in May he was elected to a prominent part in the squabble in the caucus of the fifth district.

The old case of the homesteaders against the Portage Lake Canal company has been decided in favor of the company by the secretary of the interior. By so doing he affirms the decision of the general land office.

A brazen-minded fellow named George Muir of Yale, who has been secreting himself in closets and annoying children, was rotten eggged and then arrested at Brockway the other day. J. B. Joubert, a restaurant man at the "800," was horsewhipped by two married ladies because he said things about them which he couldn't prove when it came to a showdown.

The Rev. George Foster preached his farewell sermon at the Presbyterian church, Decatur, Sunday, preparatory to going to Holland, where he will make his future residence.

William Campbell of Marquette was awarded \$10,000 damages, the full amount asked for the loss of a leg, against the D. S. & A. railroad, by a jury in the circuit court.

William H. Whitmarsh and wife of Milan were thrown from their carriage Tuesday morning, and it is feared that Mr. Whitmarsh received injuries which may prove fatal.

The rear of the main drive has reached the dam at Big Rapids, having made the run from Houghton lake, 250 miles distant, to that place in sixteen days.

A woman named Mrs. Miller has been out collecting in the two Bay Cities for a blind woman, where there is no blind woman, and made \$200 thereby.

Convict Prince Michael's hair and whiskers were sold to a Detroit museum man for \$250. There is money in whiskers if you have a reputation. John C. Atherton, convicted at Bad Axe for killing Daniel Squano, an Indian, in September last, has been sentenced to state prison for ten years.

Numerous verdant people at Lapeere have been done up by a fair who sold them a cheap, inferior soap as a high priced perfume toilet article.

The police of Port Huron were subjected to a genuine startling surprise. One of them discovered a saloon, in a basement open on Sunday.

The residents of Red Jacket seem to be united in an effort to get rid of the Salvation Army, which has but recently arrived there.

The people of Erast think that they have a boom on as there is a brick block, a Baptist church and a creamery being built there.

A Chicago firm which recently purchased \$20,000 worth of the South coast house bonds now refuse to accept them.

The men who arranged for the horse meeting recently held at Big Rapids will have to put up to meet a deficit. Bay Shore is the name just decided on for a railway station between Charlevoix and Petoskey.

Wolf buyers claim that the incessant rainy weather has injured the wolf crop in this state.

A merchants carnival will be held in Benton Harbor Friday and Saturday evenings.

The women at Martin propose to form a lodge and ride the Macabees' goat.

There are 1400 pupils enrolled in the Nottawa public schools.

There is an abundant crop of small fruits in Mecosta county.

Jackman has a curiosity in the shape of a two-faced kitten.

Angus Guillette, a lumberman near West Bay City fell on a double-headed

axe and cut an ugly gash in his groin which may result fatally.

Do not address any mail to Oakwood park, Wayne county, as the postoffice there has been discontinued.

A woman's snore. "The prettiest snore I ever saw was made by a woman," said T. R. Lane, of Oakbrook, Wis., an enthusiastic sportsman. "I was sleeping in Coles county, Ill., in 1848, and stopped for dinner at the cabin of a settler named Junkin. We sat in the shade by the cabin door while Mrs. Junkin prepared dinner. A little tow-headed tot less than a year old was creeping about the big yard. Suddenly we heard the snore, which was a big fellow was coiled, ready to strike, while within a yard of it and creeping directly toward it as if charmed was the child. To try would cause the rattler to strike; to reach the child in time to save it was impossible. The snake's head shot forward, and at the same instant a sharp report rang out from the cabin door and the snake-ship was rolling headless in the grass. We found Mrs. Junkin lying in a dead faint across the still smoking rifle. She caught the rattler's head at sixty yards on the fly."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

No Limericks. The habits of a limerick on shore are not easily shaken off when one goes to sea. Mr. and Mrs. Parkinson were on their first ocean journey, and were in their stateroom one day when Mr. Parkinson remarked to his wife: "I think it must be raining."

Mrs. Parkinson rose, peeped out of the porthole upon the broad ocean and said: "I guess 'tain't rainin' much. I don't see anybody out with an umbrella!"

A Practical Antiseptic Soap. Any good soap material, to which sulphate of copper has been added, in the proportion of twelve parts of the latter to eighty-eight of the former, will make a valuable healing soap for the use of physicians, nurses and any other persons who may be exposed to blood poisoning from wounds and bruises.

That's Why. Daley—I like little boys, don't you? Andrew (aged five)—Yes, I've got to like 'em, 'cause I'm one myself—Harper's Young People.

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Read Carefully. Dullman's German Medicine Co.

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Mrs. Wm. Corbly, Flint, Mich. For sale at D. C. Scribner's drug store, 73 Monroe street.

THE FRUIT BELT CENTER. Ludington Leads the List of Towns.

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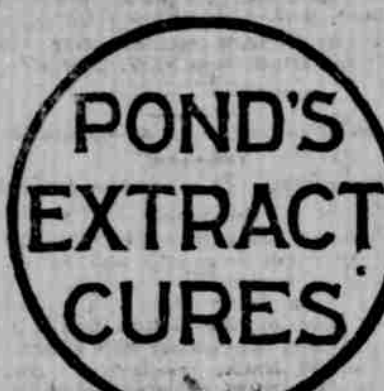
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